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Chaplaincy Endorsement, Conservative Congregational
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*OA Ministry Cohorts have been reviewed and endorsed by
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**The Ohio Association Barnabas Ministry
exists to enhance the ministry of Christian
pastors and missionaries by bringing
Biblically based, Spirit empowered prayer,
encouragement, and ICF certified coaching
to them in their ministry context.**

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***"Upon this rock I will build
My church."***

– Jesus Christ in Mt. 16:18

Building

Together

**the KINGDOM
of GOD
with fellow pastors of the**



is the purpose of an Ohio Association

***Ministry
Cohort***

What exactly is an OA Ministry Cohort?

**Four one-night
retreats over a year
with colleagues!**

**Mutual prayer, en-
couragement, support,
and accountability!**

**Talk about and track a
goal you've specified
for your ministry!**

Talk about theirs too!

**Support each other!
....in a cohort format!**

The purpose of an Ohio Association Ministry Cohort is to clarify and help fulfill a pastor's ministry goals in the context of a 4-5 member peer covenant group.

The vision of the clinic is to engage in mutual prayer, reporting-out, brainstorming, and support in four one-night overnight retreats over a one-year period of time to help facilitate fulfillment of self-identified ministry goals in each participant's local church setting.

The clinic will include peer discussion around individual case studies, journaling, individual coaching sessions between retreats, and conversation around books chosen by clinic participants for mutual benefit.

Participants arrange for and cover the cost of food, lodging and facilities for all 4 retreats, plus facilitator's travel expenses. Cost for individual coaching, group coaching sessions, and facilitating retreats, normally \$2,600, provided for 4C's pastors on a free-will offering basis, courtesy of the Ohio Association Barnabas Ministry.

Cohorts 1 & 2 One Year Update (arranged at participants' request)

Dates: Thurs.-Fri., **Jan. 31 - Feb. 1.**
Time: 5:30 p.m. Thurs. - 1:00 p.m. Fri.
Place: **Camp YNoah**, Clinton, OH,
www.akronymca.org/campynoah

Total cost: **\$100** for lodging and meals. Voluntary donations to scholarship other pastors thru the OA Barnabas Ministry accepted online at www.ccccoho.org/barnabas-ministry.

**Come & relax! Kick your shoes off!
Take a personal retreat! "Shop talk"
with colleagues! Make new friends!
See what a cohort is like!**

Cohort Covenant:

....**be present** at each clinic retreat.
....**prepare** a case study prior to the first retreat for ongoing focus throughout the year.
....**pray daily** for each participant throughout the year.
....**prayer regularly** with a cohort prayer partner between retreats.
....**meet individually** with the clinic facilitator for coaching between retreats.
....**fill out** and **return** a feedback survey after each retreat.